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In re application of:

M. Angelopoulos et al.

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For: MULTILAYERED RESIST SYSTEMS USING TUNED POLYMER FILMS AS UNDERLAYERS AND METHODS OF FABRICATION THEREOF

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

--This application claims priority from Provisional Application Serial No. 60/075,567 which was filed on February 23, 1998--.

Respectfully submitted,

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